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I. CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please amend the claims as indicated in the following listing:

1. (Currently amended) A computer implemented method for reviewing vocabulary comprising:

using a computer and a graphical user interface on a display connected to the computer, and responsive to a user selecting a Chinese-English textbook chapter from a plurality of chapters in a Chinese-English textbook, a question language from a plurality of question languages English, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, or Pin Yin, and an answer language from a plurality of answer languages English, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, or Pin Yin, displaying a plurality of vocabulary words from a selected chapter,

displaying a question containing a vocabulary word in the question language; responsive to the user inputting an answer in the answer language, determining if the answer is a correct answer;

responsive to the vocabulary word or the answer being in Simplified Chinese,
translating the vocabulary word or the answer into Traditional Chinese by accessing a
Simplified Chinese/Traditional Chinese conversion table;

wherein a determination if the answer is a correct answer is performed using a by
Simplified Chinese/Traditional Chinese conversion table encoded in Unicode and
determining whether the vocabulary word and the answer both match an entry in a traditional
Traditional Chinese/ Pin Yin/English dictionary encoded in Unicode.

2. Canceled.

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3. Canceled.
4. (Previously amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
displaying statistics regarding the user's performance in answering a plurality of questions.
5. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
calculating the probability factors for the plurality of vocabulary words; and
wherein the probability factor determines a probability that a the vocabulary word will appear in a question.
6. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
calculating the probability factors for the plurality of vocabulary words; and
wherein the probability factor determines the frequency with which a the vocabulary word will be asked in a question.
7. Canceled.
8. (Previously amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is correct, decrementing a probability factor for the vocabulary word.
9. (Previously amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is incorrect, incrementing a probability factor for the vocabulary word.
10. (Previously amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
wherein responsive to a determination that all of the vocabulary words in a chapter have a probability factor equal to one, indicating that the chapter is completed.
11. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

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changing the font size of the Chinese characters displayed on a graphical user interface.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

wherein the question language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or English.

13. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

wherein the answer language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or English.

14. (Currently amended) A program product stored on a computer-readable medium and operable on a computer, the program product comprising:

~~a computer usable medium;~~

~~wherein the computer usable medium comprises instructions comprising;~~
~~responsive to a user selecting a Chinese-English textbook chapter from a plurality of chapters in a Chinese-English textbook, a question language from a plurality of question languages either English, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, or Pin Yin, and an answer language from a plurality of answer languages either English, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, or Pin Yin, instructions for displaying a plurality of vocabulary words from a selected chapter,~~

~~instructions for displaying a question containing a vocabulary word in the question language;~~

~~responsive to a user inputting an answer in the answer language, instructions for determining if the answer is a correct answer;~~

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responsive to the vocabulary word or the answer being in Simplified Chinese,
translating the vocabulary word or the answer into Traditional Chinese by accessing a
Simplified Chinese/Traditional Chinese conversion table;

~~wherein a determination if the answer is a correct answer is performed using a~~
~~by Simplified Chinese/Traditional Chinese conversion table encoded in Unicode and~~
responsive to determining that the vocabulary word and the answer both match an
entry in a traditional Traditional Chinese/ Pin Yin/English dictionary encoded in
Unicode, instructions for indicating that the answer is a correct answer.

15. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for selecting the chapter from a plurality of chapters;

instructions for selecting the question language from a plurality of question languages; and

instructions for selecting the answer language from a plurality of answer languages.

16. Canceled

17. (Original) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for displaying statistics regarding a user's performance in answering a plurality of questions.

18. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for calculating the probability factors for the plurality of vocabulary words; and

wherein the probability factor determines the probability that a particular vocabulary word will appear in a question.

19. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising: